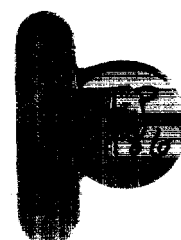


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Project: IP-186

OFFICE OF REPORTS AND ESTIMATES

Project Initiation Memorandum

Date: 2 November 1950

To: D/FE

From: Publications Division, Projects Planning

Subject: Chinese Organizations

Statement of Project

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Origin: Internal (K-3699 - [REDACTED])

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MEMORANDUM FOR: D/Pub, ORE

ATTENTION : [REDACTED] 25X1A

SUBJECT : Chinese Organizations

REFERENCES : a. K-9699

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1. It is requested that you supply this office with a report on the following societies and organizations mentioned in referenced cable:

- a. The South Seas Anti-Communist National Salvation Corps —
- b. The Overseas Chinese Resist Japan National Salvation Army —
- c. The Overseas Chinese National Salvation Self-Help Society —

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2. For your information, [REDACTED] of this office is familiar with this request and may be called upon for further information if necessary on Extension 3215.

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[REDACTED]

Chief, Intelligence Support Branch

Enclosure:  
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Date 10 Nov. '50

MEMORANDUM FOR CHIEF, PUBLICATIONS DIVISION

SUBJECT: Transmission of Draft Report

ENCLOSURE:

IP-186: Chinese Organizations  
(3 copies)

1. Enclosure is forwarded herewith for review and, if required, for formal coordination with the departmental intelligence organizations.

2. This draft report has been coordinated informally with the organizations checked below:

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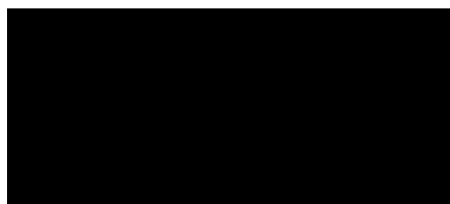
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There is no information on hand which definitely establishes the existence of (1) The South Seas Anti-Communist National Salvation Corps, (2) The Overseas Chinese Resist Japan National Salvation Army, or (3) The Overseas National Salvation Self-Help Society. Certain information is available, however, that suggests the possibility of the existence of these organizations in Malaya. The term "National Salvation" may have been derived from the "National Salvation Movement" which emerged in China after the Sian Incident in 1936 and gained wide publicity in Malaya where several branches were organized to raise funds for the Chinese war effort against Japan. These organizations, which included both KMT and Communist elements, provided the nucleus for the Malayan resistance movement during the war. KMT guerrilla groups are known to have operated in northern Malaya during the war, and caused the British authorities considerable difficulties after the war up until the time of the Communist uprising in 1948. It is possible that some of the guerrillas may have operated under the name of the Overseas Chinese Resist Japan National Salvation Army. Furthermore, the transition of a KMT organization known as the Overseas Chinese Resist Japan National Salvation Army to a South Seas Anti-Communist National Salvation Corps would be a simple and logical development. Finally, if such an organization actually exists, it is probable that it is supported

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by some kind of civilian organization, which would explain the existence of an Overseas National Salvation Self-Help Society.

The foregoing is highly speculative and does not constitute confirmation of the information in the referenced cable. There is no information available to permit an estimate of the reliability of the figures quoted therein.

In connection with the general subject of overseas Chinese organizations, the following news despatch from Taiwan may be of interest. It appeared in the 9 September issue of the Haiphong Kang-feng Jih-pao.

"Seeking to unite overseas Chinese youth in pursuing anti-Communist resist-USSR activities, the Chung-kuo Ch'ing-nien Fan-kung K'ang-ngo Lien-ho Hui (China Youth Anti-Communist Resist-USSR Association) has made plans to organize branches abroad. With the permission of the parent organization, overseas Chinese in those countries maintaining diplomatic relations with the Chinese Nationalist Government may organize a branch unit.

"Membership is open to all Chinese youth, regardless of sex, who are over 16 and under 30, of good deportment, and desirous of aiding the mother country in opposing the Communists and the USSR.

"Organizational set-up as follows:

a. 7 - 9 members will be elected to serve as executive members, with chairman and deputy to be selected from among them.

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b. Five working units will be set up: liaison, propaganda, membership, service, and general affairs.

c. Funds to defray expenses of organization will be collected as members see fit.

"This plan of the China Youth Anti-Communist Resist-USSR Association will be announced today (9 September) to the Philippine Overseas Chinese Tour-of-Taiwan, jointly sponsored by this association and the Ministry of Defense. They will be required to organize a branch upon returning to the Philippines, to be used as a model."

Tour-of-Taiwan is a KMT program being encouraged throughout SEA, possibly for this and similar purposes. Overseas Chinese from Sumatra at present are making a similar tour of Taiwan. An item in the same issue of the Kang-feng Jih-pao states that the Chinese Nationalist Consul-General at Saigon, now visiting in Taiwan, will promote overseas Chinese tours of Taiwan from Indochina when he returns to his post.

The Kang-feng Jih-pao of 10 September 1960 published a lengthy proclamation to overseas Chinese women from the Chung-hua Fu-mu Fan-kung K'ang-ngo Lien-ho Hui (Chinese Women Anti-Communist Resist-USSR Association). The proclamation exhorted the Chinese women abroad to contribute financial and material support to aid the Taiwan government in winning its battle against the Communists and the USSR.

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